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FROM SCHAUFELE

E.O. 11652: XGDS-1 TAGS: PFOR, UK, US

SUBJECT: VISIT TO DAR ES SALAAM

- 1. SOME OF LONDON PRESS AND OTHER MEDIA ARE STATING THAT I WILL BE MEETING WITH FIVE PRESIDENTS IN DAR ES SALAAM. AS FAR AS I CAN TELL, THIS PURE PRESS SPECULATION, NOT BASED ON ANYTHING WE KNOW FROM EMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM.
- 2. I BELIEVE, HOWEVER. THAT EMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM, WITH-SECRET

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OUT INITIATING ANY INQUIRIES, SHOULD REMAIN ALERT TO ANY

INDICATION THAT THIS, IN FACT, BEING CONSIDERED. IN MY OPINION IT WOULD BE HIGHLY UNDESIRABLE. WE HAVE DEALT WITH PRESIDENTS INDIVIDUALLY AND, AT LEAST UNTIL SECRETARY'S PLANS ARE FIRMER, WE SHOULD CONTINUE AS BEFORE

- 3. FURTHER COMPLICATING FACTOR WOULD BE THE PRESENCE OF PRESIDENT NETO WHICH WOULD PUT USG IN EMBARRASSING POSITION OF EITHER PARTICIPATING IN A MEETING WHICH INCLUDES HIM, OR REFUSING TO MEET WITH PRESIDENTS UNLESS NETO ABSENT. LATTER COURSE WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY HAVE SERIOUS ADVERSE CONSEQUENCES FOR OUR EFFORTS REGARDING SOUTHERN AFRICA.
- 4. EMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM SHOULD ALSO BE ALERT FOR ANY INDICATIONS THAT PRESIDENTS OR NATIONALIST LEADERS THEMSELVES WANT ME TO MEET WITH LATTER.

ARMSTRONG. UNQUOTE ROBINSON

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